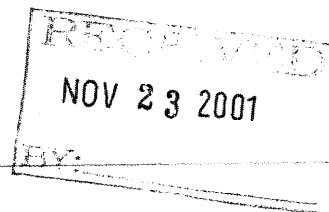




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Dear Sir or Madam:

This letter will serve as a 30 day notification pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act of 1994 that NBTY Inc. is using the following statements on the Saw Palmetto supplement under the Vibrant Health brand name.

- Supports Prostate and Urinary Health
- Saw Palmetto, derived from the berry of the Saw Palmetto tree, is the leading herb for men's health.
- Saw Palmetto contains phytochemicals, which support prostate and urinary health in men.
- So discover the beneficial properties of Saw Palmetto – specially designed for men's prostate health.

The above statements are accompanied by the required disclaimer pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act.

Sincerely,

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